

# BEST AVAILABLE CO.

## PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD Effective October 1, 2000

Application or Docket Number

09/681419

### CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1) (Column 2)

| TOTAL CLAIMS                     |               |                          |
|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| FOR                              | NUMBER FILED  | NUMBER EXTRA             |
| TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS          | 37 minus 20 = | 17                       |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS               | 4 minus 3 =   | 1                        |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT |               | <input type="checkbox"/> |

SMALL ENTITY  
TYPE  OR OTHER THAN  
SMALL ENTITY

| RATE      | FEES   | RATE         | FEES   |
|-----------|--------|--------------|--------|
| BASIC FEE | 355.00 | OR BASIC FEE | 710.00 |
| X\$ 9=    | 153    | OR X\$18=    |        |
| X40=      | 40     | OR X80=      |        |
| +135=     |        | OR +270=     |        |
| TOTAL     | 548    | OR TOTAL     |        |

\* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

### CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

| AMENDMENT A                                    | (Column 1)                                |       | (Column 2)                                  |                  | (Column 3) | SMALL ENTITY<br>RATE | OTHER THAN<br>SMALL ENTITY<br>RATE |
|------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------------------|------------------|------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|
|                                                | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST<br>NUMBER<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | PRESENT<br>EXTRA |            |                      |                                    |
| Total                                          | 37                                        | Minus | 37                                          | =                |            |                      |                                    |
| Independent                                    | 4                                         | Minus | 4                                           | =                |            |                      |                                    |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM |                                           |       |                                             |                  |            |                      |                                    |

| AMENDMENT B                                    | (Column 1)                                |       | (Column 2)                                  |                  | (Column 3) | SMALL ENTITY<br>RATE | OTHER THAN<br>SMALL ENTITY<br>RATE |
|------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------------------|------------------|------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|
|                                                | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST<br>NUMBER<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | PRESENT<br>EXTRA |            |                      |                                    |
| Total                                          | 37                                        | Minus | 37                                          | =                |            |                      |                                    |
| Independent                                    | 4                                         | Minus | 4                                           | =                |            |                      |                                    |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM |                                           |       |                                             |                  |            |                      |                                    |

| AMENDMENT C                                    | (Column 1)                                |       | (Column 2)                                  |                  | (Column 3) | SMALL ENTITY<br>RATE | OTHER THAN<br>SMALL ENTITY<br>RATE |
|------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------------------|------------------|------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|
|                                                | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST<br>NUMBER<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | PRESENT<br>EXTRA |            |                      |                                    |
| Total                                          | 37                                        | Minus | 37                                          | =                |            |                      |                                    |
| Independent                                    | 4                                         | Minus | 4                                           | =                |            |                      |                                    |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM |                                           |       |                                             |                  |            |                      |                                    |

\* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.

\*\* If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20."

\*\*\* If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3."

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.